OLD SETTLERS' REUNION AT VAN HORN PROVES A BIG EVEN

Races of All Sorts to Help to Make It Enjoyable to the Guests-Those Who Won; Some Who Were There.

Van Horn, Texas, Aug. 29 .- The Old Settlers' reunion was well attended and pronounced bigger and better than any former occasions, although there was a very high wind blowing all the first day, which, of course, marred the pleasure of the outdoor sports and the barbe-

The next best time was I. Billingsies, from Fort Davis, made in a match between Quince Leats-erman, of Kent, and judge Love, of Martin, Jim Chambers, John Jenes, H. C. 17 2-5 seconds.

Smith, of Sierra Blanca, first; Sug Cum-Allamoore, have been spending several mings, second; J. A. Espy and J. A. Morine tied for third place, and had to run the fie off. Morine won in the daughters, Fannie and Louise, and Miss.

The goat tying in which there were entries was won by J. W. Ward, of Sierra Blanca, first, time 20 1-5 seconds: judge Love, of Sierra Blanca, second, here for some time, have gone out to 21.45 seconds; Sug Cummings,

was the most exciting event of the day.

J. E. Rainer, the county school supernitendent, delivered along educational lines a very fine speech during

The cow pony race for \$50 yards was won by Glenn Durrill, first; Walter Beach, second, and John Marine, third.

The cigar race was won by Quince Leatherman with Birdie Bristow second and Dee Grubbs third. Time, 21 4-5. The foot race was won by Walter Beach for 75 yards. Birdle Bristow was

In the fat women's race, Mrs. T. C. Wafford was first, and Mrs. Josie Spears who fell and sustained a bruised and aprained wrist, was second.

The women's sweepstakes race was won by Mrs. John T. Watson. Mrs Fred Blythe got second money, and Mrs. O. L. White third.

The little girls' race was won by

Kathryn Cox. Mable Duncan was sec-The race between a man running

backward and a woman forward was won by Mrs. Fred Gibson, by half a skirt width against Al Wulfjen, 25

There were many visitors from neigh boring towns, Sierra Blanca and Kent being well represented. Among them were W. F. Payne, J. M. Garnett, W. W. Blount, R. E. Garnett, W. E. Mathers, R. D. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Judge Love, Mrs. Bettle Brown, Prince Love, Sid Morton, R. Perner, J. W. Ward, J. J. Smith, and several others from Sierra Blanca; Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Jolly and daughter, Mae, and J. E. Rainer, county superintendent from El Paso Prof. Miller, R. F. Seav and wife Mrs.

Misses Blanche Freeman, Jewell Wright Lillian Tatum, Aubrey Fletcher, Mr. and Langdon and Mrs. A. H. Jackson and children, R. Q. Hico, Texas. Leatherman and wife, G. E. Reynolds, from Kent; J. H. Richburg, H. R. Rich-burg, J. L. Mills, Mrs. Northington, Harry Akard and wife and several others from Plateau; A. J. Crawford, Leon Lovelace, Frank Ellis, Dan D'Avery, D. Lindsay and others from Toyac, insettlers here at the reunion; also Miss Lightfoot and Nick Coalson, Toyah; B. Wailace, John Reynolds, John Brown; Edgar Wells, Joe Evans, John Crow, Will Crow, N. B. Reynolds, Cooper Mc-Kemy, E. I. Tyley, Ellis Scott, J. B. Wallace, Eaton Reynolds, Harry Jarrell and A world record was made for roping several others from Kent; M. Lester, and tieing a goat in 15 seconds by R. H. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Smith and Mr. Woods, Espy in a matched contest with Sug S. A. Walker and others from Lobo; O.

Blanca, by Mr. Leatherman in Jett, Claude Jett, John and Charles Jett from Torbert. W. A. Hogue, wife and baby from

Daugherty, who is visiting them, were in from their ranch north of Allamoore Mr. Armstrong and wife and her sis ter, Miss Cassie Boykin, who has been

the Figure 2 ranch. George Blgham, and wife, Dan The baseball game, Van Horn vs. Kent, Daugherty, John Stevens, Will Neil, was won 16 to 16, by Van Horn. This and J. M. Daugherty from the Figure 2 ranch, have returned.

Mr. Melton, who arrived here on the T. P. passenger train last night, came near having what may be a serious accident, the train moving out before he had time to get off and causing him a very hard fall, which has disabled him

for the present. Miss Iola Elkins, accompanied by her brother, has arrived from Tennessee. They have decided to remain here for a few months for his health.

Mrs. J. Y. Canon has returned from a visit home and her sister, Miss Lillian Steinberg, who is going to teach the Fort Hancock school, came with her, Prof. and Mrs. acConnell, who taught the school here the last term, have returned. School will open September 5. will begin tonight with A. E. Miller in

George Bent, who has been in town for the last few days, has returned to

W. R. Bigham, of Merkel, Texas, one of the first settlers in this part of the country, attended the celebration. Miller, who has been visiting ere and at Lobo, has returned home. A. A. Cox brought in a fine lot of watermelons that he raised on his ranch

just south of town. R. H. Espy and Glenn Durrell, who have been in Mexico for the past four weeks, returned for the big celebration The first issue of the Van Horn Chronicle was printed and on the street Saturday, the first newpaper for this place. It is published by A. E. Kellar. Mr. Clifton and family from La Valley have moved here to put their children

in the high school. Boone Cathey is here from Ysleta.

FARMERS OF HONDO PROJECT NEAR ROSWELL APPEAL TO U. S. FOR HELP

Washington, D. C., Aug. 29 .- The sec- say, comes so near to them and then retary of the interior is receiving the sinks in the river bed before reaching most piteous appeals from the settlers by the government. It is a question on the Hondo irrigation project in New Mexico for such help as can possibly the regular reciamation fund or from be given them in their sad distress the \$20,000,000 fund appropriated by from the lack of water to save their crops from utter ruin at this time.

It is difficult to get any action on the Hondo, or for that matter, on any other project just at the present time. The secretary of the interior is now engaged in making a tour of inspection various projects in the west, and at this time is in the Yosemite valley investigating some important matters. The secretary expects to be in New Mexico and Arizona sometime in September, and would like to attend the irrigation congress, if he can arrange his business matters to be in that vicinity at the time of the meeting of that congress.

The secretary now has it marked on his slate to visit the Rio Grande project, the Salt River project, the Hondo project, and others in the clency, southwest, but whether he can get to A pa inspect them all before he is called back to Washington to attend a cabinet meeting, and on other important business now requiring his attention here, is difficult to say at the present time. He will do the best he can with the limited amount of time at his disposal.

Director Newell and the army engineers are now making their inspection trip to all the projects in the west. It will take from two to four months and even then they can only give each project a limited time for inspection, and while they hope to reach all the projects, it is not certain that they will be able to do so in the time allotted to them to do the work and be back in this city in time to make their report

before the meeting of congress.

The people on the Honde project only need \$40,000 or \$50,000, which they believe would secure for them the greatly desired amount of water, which, they west of town. The party went out on

whether this amount would come from the regular reciamation fund or from congress.

The board of army engineers will have to decide whether the Hondo case is one of an extension of a completed Their decision will be final on that question.

PORTALES IRRIGATION PLANTS ARE PROVING MOST EFFICIENT

Capitalists Investing in Lands in the Valley; Social Entertainments Are Enjoyed.

Portales, N. M., Aug. 29.-Many favorable comments have been made on the irrigation project here. It has been declared, by those acquainted with numerous other systems, to be the best both as to cost and in point of effi-

A party of men from Livingston, Wis., have invested heavily in irrigable land—buying 600 acres and contracting for more. They let a contract for 120 acres to be put in alfalfa. Another investor intends to put in 150 acres in alfalfa at once. Besides these many others are putting a part or all of their land in this staple crop.

Politics wax warm a mong Rooseelt county Democrats. Probate clerk C. P. Mitchell, several attorneys and others left for Santa Fe on political business.

The bridge whist club met with Mrs Hart at its last meeting.
Mrs. Charles T. Duncan and Mrs. Tipon have gone on a visit to Oklahoma. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Compton are visit-

ing in Canyon City, Tex. Homer Neff is spending his vacation

in Luscomb, In. The T. F. C.'s met Tuesday evening with Miss Cornie Smith at her home

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horseback, and enjoyed a ride back by J. L. Mullenix and family have left for Colorado City, Tex. N. C. Ficklin and J. H. McKenzie of

Missouri visited C. A. Rector during The Woman's club met this week with Mrs. A. A. Williams, with Mrs. Williams

son as leader.
Mr. Crist, Mrs. Langdon, Eugene
Langdon and Willie Bailey, left for Mrs. C. M. Dobbs is visiting in Texico.

Miss Land left for Denton, Tex., to attend the normal. The T. F. C.'c entertained in honor of Miss McManaway at the home of A. J. Smith west of town. The crowd rode out on a dray. There were many friends of the club present.

ARIZONA TROOPS ARE GOING TO MANEUVER CAMP

Leave Their Stations to Entrain at Tue son for California and Thea to March Overland for a

Tucson, Ariz., Aug. 29-The movement of Arizona troops to California for their ommenced.

Troop F, 8th cavalry at Fort Hua cauca, Ariz., left there today to march to Tucson to entrain and proceed by rail September I to Oxnard, Cal., and thence by marching to the maneuver camp, to arrive not later than September 14.

Troop H, 8th cavalry (Fort Apache will proceed by marching to Rice Ariz, there entrain and proceed by rail Tucson. This movement of Troop H will be arranged so as to continue the rall journey on September 1 from Tucson, after having united with Troop F, to Oxnard, Cal., and thence by march-

Cos. A, B, D and the machine gun platoon, 18th infantry at Whipple barracks, Ariz., left by rail for Oxnard, Cal.

Sergt, Oscar Kaufer, hospital corps. recruit depot, Fort Logan, Colo., will be sent at once to Fort Huachuca, Ariz., to relieve Sergt, Charles Hawkinson, hospital corps, who will be sent to Manila on the transport from San Francisco about September 5.

OLD TIME RESIDENT DIES AT SOLOMONVILLE

Solomonville, Ariz., Aug. 29 .- Geo. H. Hyatt died here. He was nearly eighty years old. Mr. Hyatt has resided at Solomonville and in Graham county for many years. At various times he held Presbyterian protracted meeting several county offices of trust and responsibility.

Ed and Albert Gillesple have returned from the Hayes ranch in the Graham

Earwell Palmer, elder son of H. S. Palmer is sick with typhoid fever at his father's home east of Solomonville. Pedro Bianes of Clifton, Ariz., is on a visit to his aunt, Mrs. Pedro Michelena

of Solomonville, and his grandmother, Mrs. Joseph Garcia of San Jose. Miss Lupe Garcia has returned from lengthy visit to Clifton, Ariz. Howard Wright is back from a three

weeks' visit with his grandfather, Alex Wright, who lives at Pearce, Ariz. Trinidad Michelena, after a visit with his father and mother, has gone to Morenei, Ariz., where he has taken a position with the Detroit Copper company. Ray Ross has returned from New Mexico, accompanied by his brother,

Miss Mell Massey is ill. Mr. McCullum has taken charge of

the local depot during the absence of the regular agent. The party given by the Pythian Sisters at the courthouse was a success. The sisters have organized themselves into a town improvement committee.

The family of J. T. Massey received California from injuries received in an

REAL ESTATE IMPROVEMENTS

ARE BEING MADE AT VAUGHN Vaughn, N. M., Aug. 29 .- D. D. Clark, of Carlsbad, N. M., has bought the Wilson residence on Cedar street, and will move his family here. M. Turner will build a cottage on the

lot he has bought in Hardie addition. P. A. Johnson, chauffeur on the auto mail route, who was hurt recently, is much better and has been moved to

Mrs. E. G. McNabb has taken a position at the postoffice. Misses Wilcox entertained a party of oung people in honor of Damon Lee of Paso. Word prize games were enjoyed till late. O'Brian Garlington won first prize, having made 72 words from

LITTLE CLINT GIRL
HAS BIRTHDAY PARTY.

Clint, Texas, Aug. 29, -A surprise party was given little Mary McKinney .t he home of her parents, Mt. and Mr. Mckinney, the occasion being her 11th birth lay anniversar? A snow white birthday cake, descated in red, where and blue candles with ribbon of same color tied to each cand's and reaching to 11 places at the table, occupied the center of the table. Ferns and cut flowers added to the decorations of the

Music was furnished by Mrs. Schuitz and several of the wee maids present.

Mrs. Grant, Mrs. Priest, and Mrs. Schultz assisted in entertaining. Refreshments of cake and ice cream were served. Games were played on the

Those present were Imma Grant.
Frances Priest, Bessie Steen, Florence
McKinney, Ruth Reid, Emma Celun,
Cornelia Celum, Florence Hallihan, Bessie Elliott, Eddie Ray Schultz, Dona
Carr, Edna Carr, Gilbert Priest. Mnay pretty gifts were given the little

SOCORRO COUNCIL AMENDS DEFECTIVE SALOON LICENCE

Socorro, N. M., Aug. 29.-The city council two weeks ago raised the saloon licences here from approximately \$500 to \$1000. Some of the saloon keepers decided to fight the ordinance through the courts on some grounds of defectiveness. So the council met and passed another ordinance providing for the same increase.

DALHART MAN KILLED BY

LIGHTNING IN COLORADO Dalhart, Texas, Aug. 29.—Clyde O. Austin, soninlaw of Hon. Samuel J. Allen, of this city, was instantly killed by lightning at Montevista, Colo., while on the roof of a building on waich he was employed as a workman. He leaves a wife and many friends. He carried a \$2000 life insurance policy in the W. O. W.

PERSONAL NEWS OF ALTO.

Alto, N. M., Aug. 29 .- Charles Johnson, who has been prospecting near Alto, left for his home in Tularosa, where he took a load of specimen ore to be assayed. William Brazel and family from Carrizozo, N. M., are camping on Eagle

R. Herbert, his daughter, Mrs. J. H. Villiamson, and Miss Clara Jacobs, of Capitan, passed through Alto en route to the Ruidoso, to join Guy Herbert and family of Roswell on a camping

CHIHUAHUALUMBER TEACHERS CLOSE COMING TO TEXAS

Much of It Is Also Being Otero County Institute at Shipped to Points of United States.

Chihuahua, Mex., Aug. 27-It now appears certain that this state is soon o be a large exporter of lumber to the United States. The Madera Company, Ltd., the great lumber concern Madera, which is controlled by Dr. F. S. Pearson of the Mexico North Western Railway company, has orders now for fully 150 cars of its lumber from various points all over the United Statesas far east of Connecticut.

J. R. Ryan, traffic manager of the Mexico North Western, has been hustling to get cars upon which to ship the lumber to fill these orders and they have just begun to arrive. He has also been hard at work for several weeks to get rates on various roads in the states for these shipments.

The Madera company ,Ltd., has both of its big saw mills at Madera running since Aug. 1 turning out about 400,000 feet of lumber every 24 hours. Previous to that, one mill had been in operation for several months, so the company has many millions of feet of mber, all well seasoned, in stock. This Madera pine lumber makes especially beautiful inside finishing stuff.

Ever since the first part of the year the company has been making experimental shipments of lumber to parts of the states, including California. Connecticut and Texas, and they were so satisfactory that the cofpany is now eaching out for that market.

In the meantime, the Madera com-pany is going right ahead with the work at the new town of Pearson, where two more saw mills, each of which will be of the same capacity as those at Madera. The four mills will have an aggregate daily capacity of from 800,000 to 1.000,000 feet of lumber, and it has 3,000,000 acres, or thereabouts, of timber land to draw from.

WIND BREAKS WINDOW IN TUCUMCARI STORE.

Activity Noticed In Building Field Since Recent Fire-Work of Reconstruction Progresses-Personals.

Tucumcari, N. M., Aug. 29.-Wind broke the plate glass window in the front of the Eagle cornice works on West Center street. R. L. Weatherford, accompanied by his

W. H. Burton of San Jon has taken a position with a construction company at Temple, Texas.

a vacation at Sulphur Springs, Mo. Misses Lorke and Truhn, who lately here from Chicago, have opened a millinery store in the room lately va-cated by T. A. Muirhead on Second

Mrs. T. Fraser and children of Boy ston. Texas, who have been spending two weeks with her brother, Wm. Troupe, have returned home.

Tom Buchanan, whose livery establish-

ment was destroyed by fire, will open a new business in the stable east of the Glenrock hotel on Smith street, directry back of the old stand. Roy Welch has returned to Tucumeart after a month's hunting and fishing trap

Mrs. T. A. Muirhead and childrens have returned from their summer vaca-Rass Harrison, who was taken to the

hespital at Amarillo, last week, is re-ported very ill. His mother remains T. D. Franklin, who has been at Bocky, Okla., for several weeks, has returned to Tucumceri, on his way to his claim near Quay, N. M.

G. Stephenson of Looney has been exhibiting some fine specimens of broom corn raised on his farm.

Mrs. May Archer of Knoxville, Tenn., has been visiting her mother, Mrs. R. J.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Walter have gonon a vacation to their old home in Penn-Mrs. C. C. McKenny, who has been ck for several weeks, is much im-

SMOKE FROM FOREST FIRES
HANGS OVER PECOS VALLEY

Roswell, N. M., Aug. 29.- A dense haze, supposed to be smoke from the destructive forest fires in Montana and idaho, has hovered over the Pecos valley region for several days. Charles W. Walker has gone to El Paso, from which point he expects to make a prospecting trip into old Mexco, looking for a cattle ranch loca-

Harry G. Otis, a brother of the senior partner in the firm of Otis & Hough, who with their associates now own the Roswell Electric Light & Gas company, has returned from a visit at his home in Cleveland, O., and is to remain here as a representative of the firm.

DURAN FIRE LOSSES ARE ALL ADJUSTED

Duran, N. M., Aug. 29.—Adjusters W. A. McGrew for the Hartford Fire in urance company and Sam McAllister for the Philadelphia Underwriters have set tled all losses covered by insurance in the fire of August 23. The Duran Trust and Savings bank have secured quarters in Hill brothers' building, which they will occupy until their new two story stone building can be erected on the off site. Roy Snodgrass is endeavering to ecure quarters to reopen his meat market, but so far has been unable, as there is no vacant building. He is contemplating building either a stone or adobe structure to replace the one burned.

DALHART NOW HAS A SPLENDID SEWER SYSTEM Dalhart, Texas, Aug. 29 .- The mayor

commendations from the citizens for the splendid administration rendered during the past year. One of the best seven mile sewerage systems in the state has been put in and the excellent sanitary condition of the community is considered as due to this fact.

They are now putting in some 30 con-crete crossings connecting up the main business and residence portions of the

DALBART BUILDS ROADS TO GET FARMING TRADE

Dalhart, Texas, Aug. 29 .- That the Dallam county commissioners are alive to the interest of Dalhart is evidenced by the fact that several thousand dollars are now being expended in the con-struction of a graded highway from this city north some 25 miles, Oklahoma on the west and bridging the unyon west of the city, opening up the farming territory heretofore not open to commercial interest of Dalhart, and diverted to other towns.

THEIR MEETING

Cloudcroft Proves a Big Success.

(By Mrs. W. S. Tilton.) Clouderoft N. M., Aug. 29.—The Oters county institute closed with a flourism of trumpets. Never has the attendance been so good and never has the work been better. Prof. Simms says there is no doubt but that the institute will be held in Cloudcroft next year, irrespective of a Chautauqua.

The teachers in attendance were: Mrs. C. A. Redic, Cloudcroft; Miss Gladys Nesbitt, Las Cruces; Miss Katherine Muselwhite, Alamo; Miss Vida Redic, Cloudcroft Miss Rose Murchy, Mrs. Alberta Hulett, Miss Daisy Murphy, Mrs. Eva Abott, Alamo; Miss Lena Smith, Cloudcroft; Mrs. Ola Goforth, Pinon; Chas. D. George, Alamo; J. M. Helm, Mountain Park; J. N. Duke, T. B. Mil-ton, La Luz; W. H. Danley, Orogrande; C. A. Redic, Clouderoft; R. S. Tipton, Tularosa; Miss Lorinda Spellman, Cloud-croft; Miss Vera Carter, Tularosa; Mrs. Lizzie Virden, Orogrande; Miss Alda Anglin, Alamogordo; Miss Fannie Cavencer, Orange; Mrs. Kathryn Woodside, Sali-nas; Mrs. J. M. Blazer, Miss Jessie To-zier, Tularosa; Miss Carrie Covington, Alamogordo; Miss Fredarica Greenberg, Three Rivers; Mrs. Fannie Jones, Alamo-Miss Pearl McCollum, Newman; Miss Nina Mymatt, Cloudcroft; Mrss Mamei Arnett, Shamrock; Mrs. F. Baca, La Luz; Miss Eva Felton, Alamogoruo; Miss Mary I. Rankins, Mountain Park; Mrs. Lena Ekiridge, Alamo; Miss Nadia Riggs, Cloudcroft; Miss Audie Crist, Duran; Miss Lena Langford, Pinon; Miss Mary S. Hurst, La Mesa; Miss Lillian Winders Tularosa; Miss Rina Latham, La Luz; county superintendent Lacy Simms, Alamogordo; conductor, Prof. T. W. Conway, Raton; instructors, Prof. C. D. George and Miss Eva Felton, Alamo-

gordo. Dr. H. E. Stevenson, who was to have been the speaker at the Chautauqua Sat-urday, was unable to be present and the program was given over to music Miss Annie Stolaroff and Mrs. A. 7 Seivers gave instrumental selections and

Mrs. Courtney Camp and Mrs. J. S. Daugherty delighted the audience wits vocal selections.

After the program the regular Saturday evening hop was givrn in the dinir room. Never was Cloudcroft graced with son Chester, has gone to Temple, Texas, such an array of beautiful women and where he will visit his mother and pretty girls. pretty girls.
Mrs. Ida L. Overall of Houston is a

guest of the Lodge. Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Fox and little daughter, who are taking a vacation on the roof garden, took a 40 miles drive Saturday, V. R. Stiles spent the week end with

his family at the Lodge. H. D. Slater, Ralph Loomis, Julius Krakauer, John J. McCourt, S. J. Prewitt and B. F. McNutt were all week ena visitors at the Croft. Mrs. Alice Lestarjette and Miss Lestar-

ette of Houston, Texas, are at the hev. Father Egan said mass at the residence of Dr. and Mrs. H. E. Steven-

son Sunday morning. About 60 were in attendance. Miss Rosa Stolaroff left Saturds- to make preparations to leave for San Marcos, where she is taking a postgraduate

registered at the Lodge are: Epps K. Fied, Dalas; H. Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Fox, Miss Fox, El Paso; Miss Ida L. Overall, Houston; Mrs. Heitye Blare and children, Belton, Rexas; Alene Williams, El Paso; John A. Hendrix, Marshall, Texas; John J. McCourt, V. R. Stiles, B. M. Howard, Geo, Thomas, R. S. Stephenson, T. P. Smith Alber I. William Smith, Allen L. Williams, Aulay Williams Lyle, B. F. McNuity, El Paso, Mrs. Alice Lestarjette, Houston; Janet D. Mack, Scotland; Virginia C. Stewart, El Paso; Sarah U. Eżbiy, Desver; Miss A. Lestarjette, Houston; George A. Gould and son, T. S. Kerr, El Paso; Charles D. Bailion, Lafavette, La.; R. C. Murray, Houston; Mrs. A. F. Seivers, J. A. Sharron and wife, Mrs. J. H. Brearley, A. Sharron and wite, Mrs. J. H. Brearley, El Paso; Rev. M. Egan, Alamo; Miss Metcalf, Memphis, Tenn.; Mrs. Chan-man, Indianola, Miss.; Egith E. Came-ron, A. Henderson, Alamogord; Miss Minnie Smith, Mrs. S. A. Smith, Mar-shall, Texas; S. W. Dunn and wife, El Paso; J. A. Eddy, Katherine Eddy, Den-ver.

TULAROSA TEACHERS RETURN FROM CLOUDCROFT NORMAL. Tularosa, N. M., Aug. 29.—Mrs. Etta Hilbourn and Annie Hilbourn, who have

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home on the Hondo. Shirley Lanam of Aito, N. M., is here visiting his brother, Alvis Linam. Mamie Aston, who has been visiting friends in La Luz for some time, has returned home.

Mrs. Alvin Hail, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. J. F. Hall, has returned to her home at Three Rivers. Miss Lillian Winders, teacher in the public school, has arrived from Gallup,

Miss Doppie Cooper returned home from the normal at Carrizozo.

Dick Hall has returned home from a isit with his brother, A. J. Hall, at

Three Rivers.

Misses Lorenda Spellman and Vera ber 12 and 25. Carter have returned from the normal at Clouderoft. They will teach here in Marion Simms and wife are here from

FROM OFFICE AT LERDO.

Left for Mapimi Several Days Ago and Nothing Has Been Heard of Him-Believed He May Have Died. Torreon Mex., Aug. 29.—William Davis, who has been in charge of the Pearson office at Lerdo, has mysteriously disappeared. He left Lerdo several

ENGLISHMAN DISAPPEARS

been vifiting relatives here, left for is an Englishman by birth and has many friends here, who are doing their utmost

CENSUS IS BEING TAKEN

IN TORREON AND VICINITY. Americans Make Donation for Boys-School as Centenary Gift-Metho-

dist School to Open.

Torreon, Mex., Auw. 29.—Preliminary work is progressing rapidly on taking of the census in this city, under the management of Napoleon Valdez, secretary of the census commission and chief statistics bureau of this municipality. The preliminary work will be continued until the 31st of this month and the actual work will be done between Octo-

The American colony at this slace has decided to make a cash donation of something like \$3000 as its centennial gift to Torreon, and the money is to wo toward the new boys' school.

Soth Ward college, the Methodist college at this place, opens for another term on the 5th of September. They have added another teacher to the corps this year and expect to materially in-

PROSECUTING ATTORNEYS MEET. Mineral Wells, Texas, Aug. 29 .-This city is in readiness to weeks ago, ostensibly for Mapimi but since that time he has not been heard of and all inquiries in regard to him have proven futile. He was in delicate day. Among the prominent speakers on have proven futile. He was in delicate day. Among the prominent speakers on the alth and his friends fear that he may the program are Jewell P. Lightfoot of have wandered off and died. Mr. Daves Austin, attorney general of Texas.

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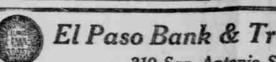
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